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Mt. View Lodge No. 179 I. O. O. F. held a good meeting on the 14th inst. with J. M. Haynes N.G., presiding, and some twenty brothers in attendance. Quite a lot of routine business was disposed of and Bro. R. F. Pippin was reported no better. Bro. E. D. Staley was reported as still quite feeble. Bro. W. R. Poston who was reported very bad off at the last meeting died on the 9th inst. and was buried in Jackson Co. by the Gainesboro Lodge, I. O. O. F. by request of this Lodge.

More than 130 members of this Lodge are up with their dues and entitled to the new P. W. It is earnestly hoped the rest of the membership will get a hustle on themselves and qualify for the new P. W.

The new officers worked splendidly for their first time and prospects are very good for a splendid term.

We have two members who having attained the age of 75 years are by the by-laws exempt from paying dues.

The Secretary was authorized to sign the Bank agreement, the Lodge thinking it better to get a little interest and have its money secured as per terms of the Bank, than to drag along as now. It makes matters safer.

Next meeting is on Friday 20th inst. Come if you can.

#### Notice of Election

Tne following officers, judges and clerks are hereby appointed to open and hold the election at the regular voting precincts in their respective civil districts on Saturday, February 25th, 1911 at which time the qualified voters of Putnam County, Tennessee, will vote upon the proposition to issue additional county road bonds for the sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,00,00)

This election having been ordered by the County Court of Putnam County in accordance with the provisions of Section 4 of Chapter 112, of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1909.

First District Officer-H. M. Hughes. Judges-A. W. Boyd, J. M. Haynes, W. L. Stewart. Clerks-A. A. Carlen, H. D. McCulley.

Second District

Officer-T. B. Jackson. Judges-M. B. Leach, Frank Boyd, Noah Deering. Clerks-I. P. Clark, E. S. M. Jackson. Third District

Officer-C. Bohannon. Judges-John L. Lee, W. H. Cleghorn, James Blaylock, Clerks-Stanton Bohannon, J. R. Hyder.

Fourth District

Officer-James S. Robinson. Judges-John D. Henry, F. E. Eirod, Jasper Henry. Clerks-G. M. Johnson, W. C. Gentry.

Fifth District

Officer-J. L. Walker. Judges-C. Randolph, A. P. Robinson, Thos. Ford. Clerks-W. M. Henry, Z. Dixon. Sixth District

Officer-J. D. Capshaw. Judges-W H. Jernigan, W. S. Tabor, D. C. Hyder Clerks-J. E. Bilbrey, J. M. Phy.

seventh District Officer-Willis Brown. Judges-Frank Judd, H. C. Dyer, W. T. Bockman. Clerks-Byrd Bockman, J. W.

Eighth District

Officer-James S. Allen. Judges-A. F. Massa, J. R. Cole, W. M. Williams. Clerks -- Jesse Farley, David Allison. Ninth District

Officer-R. L.Kerr. Judges-P. Jones Sr., J. T. Askew, S. E. Anderson. Clerks-Henry Jones, C. B. Maddux.

Tenth District

Officer-W. B. Montgomery Judges-James Whittaker, James-L. Sadler, S. N. Bryant, Clerks-G. C. McBroom, R. L. Richardson.

Eleventh District

Officer-Jesse Huddleston. Judges-Elijah DuBois, J. J. Sullens, W. R. Medley. Clerks-J. J. Boyd, J. W. Anderson.

Twelfth District

Officer-R. A. Bockman, Judges-W. A. Holladay, F. H. Jared, C. F. McCaleb. Clerks-W. A. Jared, Turner Ded-

Thirteenth District

Officer-B. H. Womack. Judges-John L. Wallace, L.F. Puckett, Walter Jones. Clerks-P. H. Sadler, James Lafevers.

Fourteenth District

Officer-J. C. Parrot. Judges-J. F. Sehon, G. D. Byrne, J. N. Clouse. Clerks-J. J. Whittaker, J. P. Hicks. Fifteenth District

Officer-S. D. Webb. Judges-A. P. Warren, J. S. Ford, S. K. Phillips. Clerks-John L. Peek, Jesse Gilliam.

Sixteenth District

Officer-John L. Ensor. Judges-J. E. Sullivan, M. C. Farley, R. D. Ellis Clerks--G. M. Dunnivan, A. H. Craw-

Seventeenth District

Officer-F. P. Fisher. Judges-B. B. Nichols, R. B. Steward, J. W. Whitehead. Clerks-J. W. Barks, L. M. Anderson.

Eighteenth District

Officer-P. C. Smith. Judges-Winfield Stone, W. C. Vanghn. L. W. Goolsby. Clerks-I. E. York, E. M. Pippin.

Nineteenth District

Officer-H. T. Gragg. Judges-D. A. Verble, A. K. Williamson, T. J. Clark. Clerks-B. M. Hudgens, G. E. Penington.

Twentieth District

Officer-W. R. Bradford. Judges-J. A. Boyd, W. E. Sypert, J. M. Hunter. Clerks-W. T. Ensor, E. W. Stone.

Should any of the foregoing officers, judges or clerks be unwilling for any reason to serve they will please notify the Chairman of the Board of Election Commissioners at once of their declination, in order that others may be appointed in their stead.

E. H. BOYD, Chairman W. R. CARLEN, Secretary S. D. DAVIS

Board of Election Commissioners for Putnam County.

## Special Election

A special election is hereby ordered to be held at the regular voting precinct in the seventh civil district of Putnam County, Tennessee, on Saturday, Feb. 25, 1911, for the purpose of electing a Justice of the Peace for said district day. to fill out the unexpired term of B. S. Goolsby, resigned.

The following officers, judges, and clerks are hereby appointed to hold said election and proper returns make of the same as required by law: Officer Melvin Judd, Clerks A. C. Palk, Stan- like to read the news.

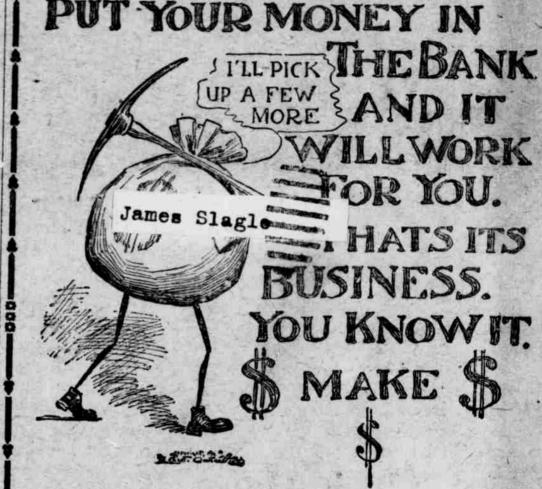


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ton Terry, Judges B. S. Goolsby, John Tucker, Cooper Rippetoe.

This election will be held in a separate ballot box from the one in which the bond election is held.

E. H. Boyd, Chairman;

W. R. CARLEN, Secretary;

S. D. DAVIS.

Board of Election Commissioners for Putnam County.

### Britton, Texas

Dear Editor and Herald family: Here I come again asking admittance into your circle. We have moved from Midlothian, Route 5, to Britton. We like our new home fine.

The people have began farming. Some are bedding their land and some are still gathering cotton. I have gathered my crop and made nineteen wagon loads and got thirteen and fourteen cents for it and sold one load for one hundred and twelve dollars and fifty cents.

The writer has bought another crop and has about four thousand pounds of boles to gather. I want to tell you good people of Tennessee how we gather boles out here. We just snatch the boles, cotton and all and in our sacks it goes until they are so full we cannot bend them. We get one and two cents a pound for that and a good hand will gather four or five hundred pounds a

We have not had any snows yet but have had a few very cold northers and last Monday was the coldest and all we could do was cut wood and make fires. Health is very good except bad colds.

Come on all you good writers for I

Ada, Okla.

As some one from Route 6 wanted F. G. D. to write a few lines I will try for the first time.

I have been in Ada since July 21st. and saw my second rain the 28th of the past month. It has been very dry here this fall.

The city has voted \$150,000 bonds for Bird Mill water which is 15 miles south of Ada. This fine spring affords enough water for every family and all of the stock in the country and the water is just as pure as any in Tennessee or any where else. When we get this we will have one of the best towns in the state

I like this country better than Tenn essee for a young man has more chance here than there.

As to myself I have a nice job working in a grocery store for reasonably good wages.

Some of the Tennessee people talk of going back to Tennessee some time especially when they get sick, for they think if they should die and were to be buried beneath the black land they would be forever buried beneath the sod and would never arise again.

R. D. Dow has rented 120 acres of fine land at Tyrolla, Okla., 10 miles north of Ada, with good terms and farming implments furnished and a nice house on the place; barns and every thing a farm needs. He payshalf of the crop. He will leave Ada about the 15th to take charge of his new home.

The writer took one day off for Xmas and chased jack rabbits all day and got one and was more tired when the sun went down than the day he worked.

Will close with best wishes to the Herald and many readers.